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Applicant : MARC G. ACHEN ET AL.
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Title : VEGF-D/VEGF-C/VEGF PEPTIDOMIMETIC INHIBITORS

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 of the above-identified application. **Applicant hereby requests that the period to take action in the above-captioned application be extended by two months pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).**

1. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114

- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on September 15, 2003.
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _
- iii. ☐ Other _
- b. Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other

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2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _ months (not to exceed three months). The required fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) is included in Section 3. a. iii. below.
- b. ☐ Other

3. Fees

- a. ☒ The following fees are included in the payment indicated below:
- i. ☒ RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e) (\$770.00)
 - ii. ☒ Extension of time fee required under 37 CFR 1.136 & 1.17 (\$420.00)
 - iii. Other _
- b. ☒ Payment:
- i. ☐ A check in the amount of _____ is enclosed
 - ii. ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge the fees listed above in Section 3 a i-iii to the Deposit Account of Crowell & Moring, LLP, Account No. 05-1323 (CAM No.: 029065.48505US)
 - iii. ☒ If there is any deficiency in fees, any necessary fees should be charged, or any overpayment in fees should be credited, to the Deposit Account of Crowell & Moring, LLP, Account No. 05-1323 (CAM No.: 029065.48505US).

January 15, 2004

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